



JUSTICE REINVESTMENT INITIATIVE (JRI) FACT SHEET

OVERVIEW

The Justice Reinvestment Initiative (JRI) is a nationwide, data-driven approach to improve public safety, reduce corrections spending, and reinvest savings in strategies that decrease crime and reduce recidivism.

JUSTICE REINVESTMENT ACT (CHAPTER 515)

Governor Hogan enacted the Justice Reinvestment Act in 2016, which works to hold individual offenders accountable for their actions, and the Maryland government accountable to spend tax dollars wisely to build better public safety.

JRA throughout Maryland emphasizes treatment for those struggling with addiction, the opportunity to elevate the voices of victims, community supervision through evidence-based practices, opportunities for ex-offenders, and the implementation of legislation through oversight mechanisms.

Learn more about the Maryland Justice
Reinvestment Initiative by visiting
<http://goccp.maryland.gov>

Justice Reinvestment Goals:

- Emphasizes treatment for those struggling with addiction
- Elevates the voices of victims of crime
- Strengthens community supervision through evidence-based practices
- Expands opportunities for ex-offenders
- Ensures implementation of legislation through oversight mechanisms

Performance Incentive Grant Fund (PIGF)

PIGF Goals:

- Reentry Programming and Services
- Behavioral Health Treatment, Resources, and Services
- Support for Victims and Restitution Enhancements
- Training and Education
- Safe Alternatives to Incarceration
- Pretrial Services and Programming

Categories Funded:

- Contractual Services
- Equipment
- Operating Expenses
- Other
- Personnel

Eligible to Apply:

- Community-based nonprofit organizations
- Local government agencies
- Nonprofit organizations
- State and local courts
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